Angeles, CA; Monday, August 2, 2004, 1 p.m. to 5 p.m., Washington, DC.

Web casts will be held as follows: Wednesday, July 14, 2004, 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.; Friday, July 23, 2004, 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.; Tuesday, August 3, 2004, 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The meetings will be held in the following locations:

Tuesday, July 13, 2004, 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Wyndham Franklin Plaza Hotel, 17th and Race St, Philadelphia, PA 19103.

Monday, July 19, 2004, 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Marriott Cleveland Downtown at Key Center, 127 Public Square, Cleveland, OH 44114.

Tuesday, July 20, 2004, 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Marriott Detroit at the Renaissance Center, Renaissance Center, Detroit, MI 48243.

Wednesday, July 21, 2004, 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Marriott Minneapolis City Center, 30 South 7th Street, Minneapolis, MN, 55402.

Monday, July 26, 2004, 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Marriott Orlando Airport, 7499 Augusta National Drive, Orlando, FL 32822.

Tuesday, July 28, 2004, 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Hyatt Regency DFW, Inside DFW International Airport, DFW Airport, TX 75261.

Wednesday, July 28, 2004, 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Renaissance Los Angeles Hotel, 9620 Airport Boulevard, Los Angeles CA 90045.

Thursday, August 5, 2004, 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

National Association of Manufacturers, 1331 Pennsylvania Ave., NW, Suite 600, Washington, DC 20004.

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Acting Director.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

Science Advisory Board

AGENCY: Office of Oceanic and Atmospheric Research, NOAA, DOC. **ACTION:** Notice of open meeting.

SUMMARY: The Science Advisory Board (SAB) was established by a Decision Memorandum dated September 25, 1997, and is the only Federal Advisory Committee with responsibility to advise the Under Secretary of Commerce for Oceans and Atmosphere on long- and short-range strategies for research, education, and application of science to resource management. SAB activities and advice provide necessary input to ensure that National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) science programs are of the highest quality and provide optimal support to resource management.

Time and Date: The meeting will be held Tuesday, July 13, 2004, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Wednesday, July 14, 2004, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. These times and the agenda topics described below may be subject to change. Refer to the Web page listed below for the most upto-date meeting agenda.

Place: The meeting will be held both days at the Key Bridge Marriott Hotel, 1401 Lee Highway, Arlington, VA.

Status: The meeting will be open to public participation with a 30-minute time period set aside on Wednesday, July 14, for direct verbal comments or questions from the public. The SAB expects that public statements presented at its meetings will not be repetitive of previously submitted verbal or written statements. In general, each individual or group making a verbal presentation will be limited to a total time of five (5) minutes. Written comments (at least 35 copies) should be received in the SAB Executive Director's Office by July 6, 2004, to provide sufficient time for SAB review. Written comments received by the SAB Executive Director after July 6, 2004, will be distributed to the SAB, but may not be reviewed prior to the meeting date. Approximately thirty (30) seats will be available for the public including five (5) seats reserved for the media. Seats will be available on a firstcome, first-served basis.

Matters to be Considered: The meeting will include the following topics: (1) NOAA Research Review, (2) Report of the U.S. Commission on Ocean Policy, (3) Reports of Cooperative/Joint Institute reviews, (4) Ocean Modeling review, (5) Global

Observations, (6) National Polar-orbiting Operational Environmental Satellite System, (7) Climate Monitoring Working Group and Climate and Global Change Working Group Reports, (8) NOAA Strategic Plan, (9) NOAA Social Science Research Initiative, (10) NOAA 5-year Research Plan, (11) NOAA Organic Act and (12) public statements.

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Dated: June 25, 2004.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION

NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

[OMB Control No. 9000-0077]

Federal Acquisition Regulation; Information Collection; Quality Assurance Requirements

AGENCIES: Department of Defense (DOD), General Services Administration (GSA), and National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

ACTION: Notice of request for an extension to an existing OMB clearance (9000–0077).

SUMMARY: Under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35), the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) Secretariat will be submitting to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) a request to review and approve an extension of a currently approved information collection requirement concerning quality assurance requirements. The clearance currently expires on September 30, 2004.

Public comments are particularly invited on: Whether this collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of functions of the FAR, and whether it will have practical utility; whether our estimate of the public burden of this collection of information is accurate, and based on